

✓ California Monterey
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State

County

Monterey
Southwest corner
Tyler and Pearl Streets
Town or Vicinity

1P

General Jose Castro's Headquarters (CAL-142)

Structure

History: Built ca. 1846. Used as Headquarters by General Jose Castro after he succeeded General Vallejo as Commandant of the Dept. of the North and assessed to him in 1851 and 1855. At rear of building were bull and bear pits enclosed by high rock and adobe walls. Occupied in 1936 by Monterey Press.

ORIG. 1 STORY

Description: Street-corner building with gable shingle roof. With deterioration of adobe the street-front was
(Over)

replaced with chalk rock laid up with adobe mortar. End
wall faced with wood clapboard.

References: WPA Historical Survey of Monterey, File 43.

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